

U.S. COPYRIGHT OFFICE LEADERSHIP



Jody A. Harry

Chief Financial Officer

Jody A. Harry is the chief financial officer of the United States Copyright Office. She was appointed to the position in October 2016.

Harry is responsible for the day-to-day management and oversight of all fiscal, financial, acquisition, and budget-related programs of the Copyright Office. She is the first incumbent of the chief financial officer position, which was created as part of the Register of Copyright's ongoing modernization work.

Harry is a certified public accountant and a certified management accountant with more than 20 years of experience in financial leadership roles in both the public and private sectors. Before joining the Copyright Office staff, she served as comptroller of the Civil Rights Division of the United States Department of Justice, where she was responsible for the full scope of division financial activities. Harry holds a bachelor's degree in accounting from the University of Guam and an MBA from Johns Hopkins University. She is a veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps.

ABOUT THE U.S. COPYRIGHT OFFICE

Congress established the Copyright Office as a separate department within the Library of Congress in 1897 and created the position of Register of Copyrights to lead it. The United States Copyright Office administers the nation's copyright laws as set forth in the Copyright Act and provides impartial assistance to Congress, the courts, and executive branch agencies on questions of national and international copyright law and policy.